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Ms. Lois A. Edwards
Coastal Technology Corporation
3625 20th Street
Vero Beach, Florida 32960

September 16, 2002

Re: DHR Project No. 2002-07899 / Received August 12, 2002
Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (SEIS)
USACOE Permit Application No. 200000380 (IP-DEB)
Phipps Ocean Park Beach Restoration Project
Town of Palm Beach, Palm Beach County

Dear Ms. Edwards:

Our office received and reviewed the above referenced SEIS in accordance with the *National Environmental Policy Act of 1969*, as amended, and Section 106 of the *National Historic Preservation Act of 1966*, as amended. The State Historic Preservation Officer is to advise Federal agencies as they identify historic properties (listed or eligible for listing, in the *National Register of Historic Places*), assess effects upon them, and consider alternatives to avoid or minimize adverse effects.

Our review of the proposed referenced SEIS indicates that no historic properties will be adversely affected by this project. We concur with this finding.

If there are any questions concerning our comments, please contact Laura Kammerer, Historic Preservationist Supervisor, at 850-245-6333 or 800-847-7278. Thank you for your efforts to protect Florida's historic properties.

Sincerely,

Janet Snyder Matthews, Ph.D., Director, and
State Historic Preservation Officer

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